

## Attention users of Negative Pressure Wound Therapy (NPWT)

In an overwhelmed healthcare system, what can you do to help relieve hospital staff and free up capacity?

Transition appropriate\* wound patients to SNAP™ Therapy System - It may help facilitate an easier and earlier² discharge to a home setting!



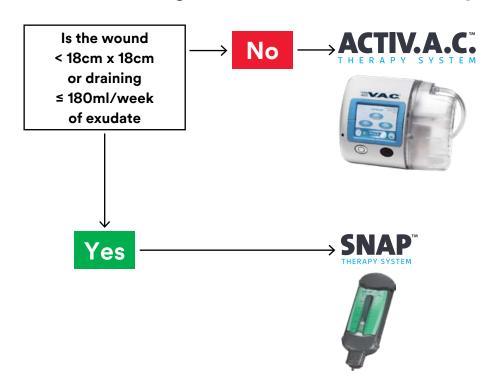
- \* The SNAP™ Therapy System is indicated for patients who would benefit from wound management via the application of negative pressure, particularly as the device may promote wound healing through the removal of excess exudate, infectious material and tissue debris. For a detailed list of indications, please see Instructions for Use.
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- SNAP<sup>™</sup> Therapy System combines the simplicity of advanced wound dressings with the proven benefits of negative pressure wound therapy in a discreet design.<sup>3</sup>
- It is small, silent and lightweight to preserve patient quality of life.<sup>3</sup>
- The SNAP<sup>™</sup> Therapy System employs a familiar NPWT mechanism of action with reticulated open cell foam and -125mmHg pressure.<sup>4</sup>
- Designed for chronic wounds with exudate less than 180cc/week and less than 18cm x 18cm in size.



## Considerations for transitioning from V.A.C. VERAFLO™ Therapy in acute setting to NPWT in the community.



## For more information, please contact your 3M + KCI representative

## References

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NOTE: Specific indications, contraindications, warnings, precautions and safety information exist for these products and therapies. Please consult a physician and product instructions for use prior to application. This material is intended for healthcare professionals.

